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COMING EVENTS

TONIGHT
Salem Chautauqua.
International Operatic company.

July 16.—Vesper services, Willson park, 6:30 p. m.
July 16.—Salem Street Railway excursion to Newport.
July 19.—Monthly meeting of Commercial club.
July 28.—Wisconsin society reunion at State fair grounds.
July 31-August 1.—Comic opera, "The Mikado," opera house, auspices Moose lodge.
Sept. 23-30.—Oregon State Fair.

Dr. Mendelsohn, specialist, fits glasses correctly. U. S. Bank Bldg.

Circuit Judge Galloway is now holding court at Albany. A number of civil actions are due to come up at this term.

The Liberty Ladies Aid society will hold an ice cream social Friday night, July 14, at the Liberty hall.

Announcement is made that no prayer meeting will be held Thursday evening at the Evangelical church, Seventeenth and Chemeketa street.

While others are reducing we are increasing our stock. There's a reason ask us. Gardner & Keene, jewelers and opticians.

Yesterday morning the department was called to the corner of Church and Center streets to extinguish a fire in a chicken coop.

Our prices are right, no reduction necessary. Gardner & Keene, jewelers and opticians.

The sweet peas that were awarded the first prize at the Cherry fair received the first award at an exhibit a few days ago in Portland. They were exhibited by Mr. and Mrs. King.

Dennis's Baths, foot of State street. Safe, convenient, first class.

The police yesterday called to account George Wilson and Leslie Stephens for driving vehicles over the line at the St. Clair fire. It is doubtful if the local authorities can prosecute as the matter is covered by a state statute.

Furnish your home complete for one half price at E. L. Stiff & Son's.

W. Lyons, who resides at 1894 N. Commercial street, has reported to the police the loss of a team of horses. The animals were taken from Lyons' stable night before last, he believes.

Stensloff Bros., Inc., will pay 8 1/2 cents for top aogs. Poone 1528.

The roof of a tool shed back of the Loju factory was burned last evening about 6:30. The loss is trifling. In the past three days there have been six fires of more or less importance.

Dr. Alice Bancroft, New Breymen bldg. Eye and Nerve Specialist.

Brush college school district will hold its annual picnic next Friday at the school house, two and a half miles north west of Salem. A special program has been arranged for the afternoon.

We are headquarters for all kinds of tents, awnings, wagon covers, camp chairs and stoves.—E. L. Stiff & Son.

Thursday there was exhibited at the Journal office specimens of vetch hay 8 and 8 1/2 feet in length. They were grown in the Fruitland section east of Salem on bench land last year planted to potatoes.

We can save you money on all kinds of lumber and building materials. Get our prices before you buy.—Falls City-Salem Lumber Co., 349 S. 12th. Phone 813.

Wallace Brown left today for Portland en route to San Francisco. He has passed the examination for the regular army and will put in three years on active service followed by three years in the reserve.

There will be three masses at St. Joseph's church next Sunday: 1st mass 5 a. m., 2d mass 7:30 a. m., high mass 10:30 a. m.

The shortage in cars on the S. P. is improving gradually, according to information received by the state public service commission. Yesterday, for the first time in weeks, the supply of closed cars was greater than the number ordered.

Inter-City League pennant race is now being fought. Four teams close. Don't miss the game Sunday, July 16th, Batting Bradfords vs. Lojus. League grounds, 3 p. m.

A demonstration will be given this evening at the Commercial club of "Cerezo" and an invitation is extended to everybody to attend and convince themselves that "Cerezo" as a substitute for coffee, is equal to any thing of its kind on the market. It is manufactured in Salem. The demonstration is given this evening under the auspices of the industrial department.

Baseball Sunday, July 16th, 3 p. m. Lojus vs. Batting Bradfords. The Bradfords are some scrappers and are coming back strong to retrieve their defeat the fourth.

The addition to the Central Congregational church is about completed and will by the end of the week be ready for the placing of the pews in order that services may be held in the church next Sunday. Arrangements are under way for a jubilee service the last Sunday in July.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all of those who so kindly contributed floral offerings and those who in other ways showed their sympathy with us during the illness and at the time of the death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Clara Rice.

—Fred J. Rice and family.

The Church of God will hold its annual state campmeeting this year at Woodburn, beginning July 14 and continuing ten days. Wood, straw and camping privileges are free and board will be on the meal ticket system on the grounds. According to the announcement, the object of the campmeeting is the salvation of souls and the glory of God. J. E. Van Lydegraf of Silverton is chairman of the advertising committee.

The Central Labor Council of Salem was invited at their meeting last evening, to participate in the labor parade to be held in Portland, Labor day, September 4. The invitation will be acted on at the meeting of the council the latter part of this month. C. M. Ryerson, editor of the Labor Press, and William A. Marshall, commissioner, made short addresses. The invitation to take part in the labor parade in Portland was given by E. J. Stack of the state federation.

New Calcutta grain sacks will cost a few cents more this year, another evidence that the war in Europe affects everybody. The prices for new sacks now are 13 and 14 cents, compared to 10 cents a year ago. The scarcity of material and the fact that England has control of the raw materials are responsible for the advance. Also the fact that hundreds of thousands of sacks, filled with sand and dirt, are used for building fortifications on the firing line on the western front in Europe.

The Cherrias assisted by other patriotic citizens will move on the municipal bathing beach and picnic grounds next Monday afternoon, and begin a general cleaning up. To encourage them in their patriotic efforts, several prominent women have agreed to serve refreshments, and to incidentally lead encouragement in the good work. William Gahleford has given the coffee to be served to the laboring citizens and it is hoped by civic department of the Commercial club that after the grounds are cleaned and brushed up Monday afternoon, the beach will soon be open to the public.

The Salem Rifle club, not satisfied with having the largest enrollment of any club in the state, is out with a boosting campaign for 300 members, and the executive committee believes if every member will do his share of boosting, the additional 175 will be enrolled within a short time. Next Monday evening a big special meeting will

EPIDEMIC ABATING ONLY 117 NEW CASES

Not So Many New Cases by 45 As Yesterday, Despite Terrific Heat

New York, July 13.—Despite the torrid wave the rate of new cases in the infantile paralysis epidemic continued to show a marked decline in figures tabulated by the health department today. The mercury reached 86 at 11 a. m.

Only 117 new cases have been reported in the last 24 hours as against 162 yesterday. Twenty-four babies have died in the past twenty-four hours.

The total number of deaths thus far is 311.

No New Cases Today.
San Francisco, July 13.—With no new cases reported, the infantile paralysis situation was believed today to be well in hand in California, and Health Officer Hassler believes the danger will be eradicated in the incipient stage. Only one of six cases under observation has been definitely diagnosed as infantile paralysis.

Two New Cases in Chicago.
Chicago, July 13.—Two new cases of infantile paralysis were discovered in Chicago today.

Prices Irregular and Generally Lower

New York, July 13.—The New York Evening Sun financial review today said:

An advance in the Bank of England discount rate from five to six per cent, marking the first change since August 8, 1914, was the outstanding feature in the market today. What effect, if any, this may have upon the local security list, is a matter of conjecture and most observers inclined to the opinion that it had none at all.

The consensus of opinion on Wall street has been that the recent flurry in money was merely a temporary affair and this opinion has been sustained by the relaxing tendencies which have developed since Monday.

Speculative conditions were little changed and much disappointment and apprehension was expressed in commercial house circles over the failure of the market to hold the moderate improvement registered in standard issues and in some specialties yesterday. First prices were generally higher and the early trading was marked by a recovery ranging from a fraction to two and three points or so. But there was no expansion of public buying and after the more timid shorts had covered, professional traders resumed their tactics of seeking out weak spots. They found the motor issues peculiarly vulnerable.

Standard issues offered better resistance, but they, too, yielded in the early afternoon.

Prices moved irregularly and uncertainly in the late trading.

The Northwest Fruit Products company, "Loju" manufacturers, is running three shifts of eight hours each every 24 hours.

Eggs are five cents a dozen wholesale higher in San Francisco than in Portland, but this is of little comfort to the Willamette valley as the long winter strike is on at San Francisco and freight steamers are tied up.

Herb is a hard luck story for the Willie boys and other good citizens who wear their trousers with cuffs. According to those in authority as to what's what, men's trousers will be worn this winter minus the cuffs and the old last year's style will have to be put in the discard, or at least with the cuffs clipped.

Fifty representative business men have indicated their intentions of attending the banquet to be given Chas. Zuehl in 6 o'clock tomorrow evening at the Marion hotel. The banquet is complimentary to Mr. Zuehl in his lecture at the chautauqua and all his work is identified with the civic problems of cities.

The officers of the Knights of Pythias hope to arrange with the Oregon Electric by which a special train will be run from Eugene to Portland for the meeting of the supreme lodge and the grand lodge of Oregon which will meet in Portland August 1. To put on a special from Salem the Electric would have to have an assurance of 60 fares.

There has been no new developments in the infantile paralysis situation in the northwest. Just to be on the safe side, the state board of health will meet Saturday in Portland and consider means of preventing the entrance of the disease in the state. Should the city council take any action, it will be in accordance with the program outlined by the state board of health.

The New York society and its friends gathered yesterday at the fair grounds and enjoyed an all around good time telling of the days back in the Empire state. During the afternoon they gathered together and heard short addresses from Judge J. C. Moreland, F. S. Barton, Dr. R. W. Walton and others. The program included a guitar solo by F. S. Barton, a song by Mrs. E. W. Walton and a vocal solo by Miss Lucile Barton. Also general singing in which all took part, just as in the days of the old singing schools.

CHAUTAUQUA OPENS WITH SPLENDID PLAY

Comus Players From U. of O. Were Delight To All—Other Programs

With an attendance of more than 1000, the 1916 Salem Chautauqua opened last evening under favorable auspices, so much so that even the officers and members of the Salem Chautauqua who had worked so hard and were in serious doubts as to the financial success, were happy.

The guarantee of the committee, \$1500 had been raised and with this off their minds, the friends and workers for the chautauqua proceeded to enjoy an evening with the Comus Players.

These players, from the University of Oregon, fully sustained the good reports of their work during this season. The audience was pleased with the selection from "As You Like It" and the three acts of "Plays," "Carson of the North Woods."

This morning J. M. Erickson, superintendent and morning lecturer organized the junior chautauqua for the children, in which they were told the story of the Knights and Ladies, followed by a lecture by Mr. Erickson. This afternoon, the famous jurist and writer, Judge R. M. Wanamaker of the Ohio supreme court, delivered his lecture. Before the lecture, the judge had been introduced to the members of the Oregon supreme court and invited to sit with them.

Tonight, the International Operatic Co. will entertain, giving the second act from Martha.

Tomorrow morning, following the junior chautauqua, superintendent Erickson will give his lecture on "Jane and Jimmie's Problems."

The afternoon will be given to the Skibinsky-Welch company entertainers and the lecture by Charles Zuehl in on civic matters. In the evening the Skibinsky-Welch entertainers will again appear on the program, and the lecture of the evening will be delivered by Lou Beauchamp, of Dayton, Ohio.

While Mr. Beauchamp talks on "Take the Sunny Side," his real experiences in life are far from the sunny side. A few years ago, after appearing on the Lyceum circuits for many years, he retired with a competence and began to take life easy, living at Dayton, Ohio.

Along came the Dayton flood, washing away his home and all of his belongings, making it necessary for Mr. Beauchamp to once again go on the lecture platform.

Charles Zuehl, known everywhere as a lecturer on the city problems, will appear before the members of the Commercial club and members of the chautauqua association at a dinner to be given at the Marion hotel tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock. He will tell of some of the problems of cities of the size of Salem and especially what he thinks might be a good thing for this city. The dinner is given him in recognition of the fact that Mr. Zuehl is really one of the progressive men of the country in the study of city problems.

The program in full for Friday is as follows:

Morning—Junior chautauqua. King Arthur's Court. Lecture, Mr. Erickson.

Afternoon—Artist's recital, Skibinsky-Welch company. Lecture, "The City Problem," Charles Zuehl.

Evening—Concert, Skibinsky-Welch company. Lecture "Take the Sunny Side," Lou Beauchamp.

Admission 50c.

Third Oregon Moves Nearer the Ocean

Information received in Salem today shows a change of position for the Third Oregon infantry.

From San Ysidro, where the regiment has been encamped for the past three weeks, it is now moving to Palm Beach, three miles out of San Diego. This new location is thirteen miles from the international line.

It is said that the change is a welcome one to the soldiers as they will be nearer the ocean and where it is cooler.

WILL FIGHT 10 ROUNDS
Baltimore, Md., July 13.—Levinisky and Dillon will fight 10 rounds no decision.

Guy and George Haney, Portland boys, passed through the city today homeward bound. The lads made a cycle tour from the Rose City to Drain with numerous side trips, covering a total distance to date of about 360 miles.

George C. L. Snyder has consented to become a member of the cast of "The Mikado" to be given under the auspices of the Moose lodge, July 31 and August 1. He will take the part of the Mikado, making his first appearance in the second act singing, "Mi-ya, sa-ma, mi-ya sa-ma, On-nu-ma-so, na-ye-n."

The city of Portland has issued a comprehensive work relative to the proposed changes in grade crossings in Sullivan's gulch, through which the O. W. R. & N. company's trains enter the city. Complete plans and specifications are contained in a superb volume just off the press. A copy has been received by the state public service commission.

Three car loads of Indiana silos were shipped by the Spaulding Logging company to the Yakima valley this week, and two car loads to central California. In the last six months the company has placed 75 of its silos in Marion county. According to those who know, silos in a community indicate more corn and the selling of the 75 in Marion county in six months is pretty good evidence that corn is becoming one of the big crops of the county. Four years ago, it is estimated that only 300 acres were planted in corn in this county. Now the estimate is 15,000 acres, and the prospects good for an abundant yield.

CHIROPRACTIC IS THE MASTER SYSTEM

If your spine is right, you are right. Those who have tried every old method and found no relief should try Chiropractic and get well. Many hundreds of grateful patients in Salem and elsewhere can substantiate my statements. Six adjustments will be given for the small fee of \$5.00. Difficult cases, which require X-ray examinations and Spino-graphs can obtain them at a nominal fee. Only expert Spino-graph work. A talk with the old Chiropractor may lead you to health and happiness; act now.

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Hubbard Building. Phone 572

Fire Alarm System Far From Perfect

Need of an alarm system for the Salem fire department was never more thoroughly demonstrated than last night.

Difficulty in getting to a telephone and a mix-up in directions sent the department to Church and Ferry streets instead of to McGilchrist avenue where the Comstock house was on fire. After wandering about a while the department was finally started in the right direction but valuable time had been lost, through no fault of the department but through a lack of a proper signal system.

To complicate matters the building was several blocks from the nearest hydrant and this delayed getting the water at work. Spectators declare that the house could have perhaps been saved if the signals had not gone wrong and prevented the apparatus from arriving promptly.

Police Chief Welsh favors a combination fire alarm and police alarm system if the box system is put in. This would serve two purposes and the cost would be no more than if one system only were installed.

Orpet Case Will Go to Jury Tomorrow

Courtroom, Waukegan, Ill., July 12.—Opposing counsel in Will Orpet's trial for Marion Lambert's murder tightened their lines and brought their big guns in position for the final battle today.

Before the end of the week all closing arguments will have been completed, the judge's instructions will have been read and the case will be in the jury's hands.

The lawyers reserved their heaviest oratorical bombardment for the last. Former United States District Attorney James A. Wilkerson was to begin closing arguments for the defense late today. Attorney Ralph Potter for the defense, was to conclude his statements at noon.

David R. Joslyn, special prosecutor, whose suave, insinuating sarcasm under Orpet tremble in his chair when under cross-examination, will have the final say. Joslyn will close for the prosecution speaking late tomorrow and early Saturday.

MAY GET ACADEMY

Washington, July 13.—A motion by Senator Weeks, Massachusetts, to strike out of the naval bill a provision for the appointment of a commission to investigate the advisability of establishing one or more additional academies was urged by Pacific coast senators as defeated in the senate this afternoon by a vote of 32 to 27.

EXPECT HOT SPELL

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of the year. A temperature of 78 was recorded here, a drop of 20 degrees in as many hours. Temperatures ranging from 80 to 88 were reported at Brownsville, Laredo, Eagle Pass and other points along the Rio Grande, where the mercury had climbed as high as 104 earlier in the week.

Mercury Hit 94.
Kansas City, Mo., July 13.—Kansas and Missouri sweltered in the heat early

today, with indications for a record for the season before night. The mercury climbed to 94 degrees yesterday, the summer's high mark.

Kansas is taking advantage of the clear hot days to finish the wheat harvest.

Elk Parade Gets It.
Baltimore, Md., July 13.—Three of the 35,000 Elk convention paraders, and 17 persons along the line of march of the annual pageant were prostrated by the heat today. One of the victims may die.

Rain in New York.
New York, July 13.—With a record of eight deaths and more than two score prostrations, the heat wave which has gripped New York for the past two days was broken at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A thunderstorm came up at that time, followed by rain.

Sweeter Than Wheat--

That's the happy combination of whole wheat and malted barley, nowhere so skilfully blended to bring out all the rich nourishment and delicious flavor of the grains as in

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This famous pure food has a rich, nut-like flavor, entirely impossible with any food made of wheat alone, and comes ready to eat, crisp and sweet, a favorite dish with old and young.

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